

THE CHINA MAIL.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1891.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGER, 11 & 12, Queen's Gate, London, SW. GROVES, BAKER & CO., 34, Castle Street, GROCER & GROCER, Ludgate Circus, E.C. DAWSON & CO., 34, Pall Mall, E.C. HANCOCK, BREWER & CO., 150 & 154, Strand, W.C. WILSON, W. M. WILSON, 141, Cannon Street, E.C. ROBERT WILSON, 149, Fleet Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE.—MAVENCE, MARES & CO., 18, Rue de la George Hotel.

NEW YORK.—THE UNITED EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, Wall Street.

AN FRANCISCO AND AMERICAN PORTS generally.—BEAN & BLAINE, San Francisco.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney.

SYDNEY.—W. M. SMITH & CO., THE AFRICAN TRADE CO., Circular Quay.

SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.—KELLY & WALSH, LTD., Singapore.

GUINÉA—MACKAY, A. AS DA CRUZ, AMY, N. MOALE & CO., LIMITED, Funchal.

H. W. CHURCHILL, Shanghai; LAMS, CHAMBERS & CO., and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama, LAMS, CHAMBERS & CO., and KELLY & WALSH.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNERS.

STEAMSHIP INDUS.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNERS OF CARGO from London, C. S. S. Sidon, in connection with above Steamship, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Oil, Wine, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional cargo will be forwarded on unless information is received from the Consignor before Nov. 10, to day, the 14th Inst., requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Underwriters.

Goods remaining unclaimed after MONDAY, the 23rd Inst., at noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All Claims must be made to me on or before Monday, the 24th instant, or they will not be recognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined on MONDAY, the 26th instant, at 8 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

O. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent.

Hongkong, December 10, 1891. 2413

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

STEAMSHIP PRINZ HEINRICH.

THE above-named Steamer having ar-

ived, Consignment of Cargo are hereby

informed that their Goods, with the ex-

ception of Oil, Wine, Treasure, and Valu-

ables, are being landed and stored at their

risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG

AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN

COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence

delivery may be obtained.

OPTIONAL CARGO will be forwarded

unless notice to the contrary be given be-

fore 3 p.m., to day.

No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods

remaining undelivered after the 24th Inst.,

will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on TUESDAY, the 27th

Dec., and THURSDAY, the 29th Dec., at 9.30 a.m.

All Claims must reach me before the 3rd

JANUARY, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the undernamed.

MILHOPERS & CO.,

Agents.

Hongkong, December 17, 1891. 2415

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Hong Kong Maru, Captain

FILMS, having arrived from the

above Ports, Consignments of Cargo are hereby

informed that their Goods are being landed

at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG

AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN

COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence

delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods

remaining undelivered after the 26th Inst.,

will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on the 26th Inst., at 2.30

p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

Agents.

Hongkong, December 20, 1891. 2433

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S. S. Suisun having

arrived from the above Ports, Consi-

gnments of Cargo by her are hereby informed

that their Goods are being landed at their

risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG

AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN

COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

27th instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, December 20, 1891. 2434

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

WASHINGMAN'S BOOKS, for the use

of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now

be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

CHINA MAIL Office.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor

Officers will be responsible for any

Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew

of the following Vessels, during their stay in

Hongkong Harbour:

HOWARD D. TROUP, British ship, Capt.

D. W. CORNING.—Standard Oil Co.

LOLAWA, Hawaian Barque, Captain O. C. MCCLURE.—Standard Oil Co.

W. H. COOPER, American ship, Capt. J. T. KEELEY.—Siemssen & Co.

INSURANCES.

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,250,000.

B. W. MORRELL, S. J. DAVID & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, November 18, 1891. 2304

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

TOTAL FUNDS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1891, £1,250,000.

Authorised Capital £2,000,000.00

Paid-up Capital £2,000,000.00

Free Funds £2,001,016.90

TO LET.

TO LET.—
SEMI-DETACHED VILLA RESIDENCE ON BROWN ROAD.—(Now for sale.)

PROPERTY now occupied by the BROWNSIDE NEW MILLS.

No. 4, RIFTON TERRACE.

"BAHAR LODGE."

"FAIRVIEW," KOWLOON.

Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

Hongkong, December 19, 1891. 2417

TO LET.

FURNISHED, from 1st January, 1892.

THE SIX-ROOFED BUNGALOW, with eight Foot Basement, Garden and Tennis Court.

Upper Richmond Road.

Apply to

A. O'D. GOURLIN,

Hongkong, December 1, 1891. 2323

TO LET.

THE GROUND FLOOR of the "New Club" premises—the best business position in the Colony. Suitable for High Class Shops or Offices.

Apply to

THE SECRETARY,

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

Hongkong, October 8, 1891. 1608

TO LET.

CRAIGMIN WEST, THE PEAK.

Rooms, Moderate Rent.

Apply to

DRYDEN & RAM,

17, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, December 1, 1891. 2328

TO LET.

CHADWICK K.E.W.

(Gate or Posts & Posts.)

Hongkong, July 12, 1891. 2326

TO LET.

AMERICAN SYSTEM

OF DENTISTRY.

5 UI SANG,

(Lately Practitioner with Dr. I. SHAKA)

DENTIST,

No. 8, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, January 1, 1892. 2329

TO LET.

CARMICHAEL & BARLOW,

Consulting Engineers and Surveyors.

19, PHAYA CENTRAL

and 3, DUCCAS LANE.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND LAUNCHES FOR SALE

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1888.

THE CHINA MAIL.

Banks.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
PAID-UP CAPITAL..... \$10,000,000.
RESERVE FUND..... \$9,000,000.
RESERVE LIABILITY OF..... \$10,000,000.
PROVISIONS.....

COUNT OF DIRECTORS—
Hon. J. J. Bell-Living—Chairman.
R. M. Gray, Esq.—Deputy Chairman.
O. Bourmann, Esq.—A. J. Raymond,
David Gubbay, Esq.—P. H. Sache, Esq.,
Armin Haupt, Esq.—R. Shaw, Esq.,
R. H. Hill, Esq.—N. A. Sibley, Esq.,
Alex. MacConochie, Esq.—
T. Jackson, Esq.—Chief Manager:
Hongkong—T. JACKSON, Esq.—
Shanghai—J. P. Wade Gardner, Esq.—
LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING CO., LTD.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS—
For 3 months 2½ per cent per annum.
" 4 " 3 " "
" 12 " 4 " "
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, October 28, 1888. 383

Banks.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposit is allowed at 9 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT AT 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1888. 1515

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.
HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP..... \$200,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARES..... \$200,000
RESERVE FUND..... \$245,000

INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the rate of 2½ per annum on the Daily balances.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 Months 4%

" 6 " 5 " "

" 12 " 4 " "

" 18 " 3 " "

" 24 " 2 " "

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, October 28, 1888. 383

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1860.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL..... Yen 12,000,000

PAID-UP CAPITAL..... 10,500,000

RESERVE FUND..... 8,800,000

HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.

BRANCHES AND AGENTS—
KOKI, LONDON, SAN FRANCISCO,
NEW YORK, LYON, HONOLULU,
BAGHAY, SHANGHAI.

LONDON BANKERS—
The London Joint Stock Bank, Limited.

The Union Bank of London, Limited.

HONGKONG AGENT—Interest allowed.

On Current Account at the Rate of 2% per annum on the daily balance.

On fixed deposits for 12 months, 5% per annum.

On fixed deposits for 6 months, 4% per annum.

On fixed deposits for 3 months, 3% per annum.

S. OCHOA, Agent.

Hongkong, October 1, 1888. 288

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL..... \$1,500,000

SUBSCRIBED..... \$1,125,000

PAID UP..... \$600,000

RESERVE FUND..... \$140,000

BANKERS—
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balances.

On Fixed Deposits—
For 12 Months 4%

" 6 " 3 " "

" 12 " 2 " "

" 18 " 1 " "

" 24 " 0 " "

J. THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, December 1, 1888. 2840

Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

| Name | Rig. | Tons. | Guns. | I.H.P. | Captain | Where at |
|-------------|------------------------------|--------|-------|--------|--|-----------|
| Aldority | despatch-vessel | 1700 | 10 | 3000 | Capt. A. H. Smith-Davrian | Hongkong |
| Algiers | sloop | 1050 | 8 | 1400 | Commander E. J. W. Stoddard | Foochow |
| Archer | cruiser, 3rd class | 1770 | 6 | 3200 | Comdr. C. E. Kingham | Singapore |
| Bardwick | battalion, 1st class | 10,500 | 14 | 13,000 | Hon. S. C. J. Conville, C.B. | Nagasaki |
| Bonaventure | cruiser, 2nd class | 4360 | 10 | 9000 | Capt. R. A. J. Monckton-Somerby, C.B. | Manila |
| Centurion* | battalion, 1st class | 10,500 | 14 | 13,000 | Capt. J. R. Jackson | Hongkong |
| Daphne | sloop | 1140 | 8 | 2000 | Capt. C. W. Whittington-Ingram | Singapore |
| Esk | g.b. 3rd class coast defence | 363 | 3 | 200 | Lt.-Com. C. Chadwick | Shanghai |
| Fame | torpedo boat destroyer | 360 | 6 | 5700 | Lt.-Com. H. A. Gillett | Hongkong |
| Firbrand | gunboat, 2nd class | 455 | 2 | 380 | Capt. F. W. Fisher | Singapore |
| Grafton | gunboat, 1st class | 730 | 12 | 12,000 | Lt.-Edw. Edward Kelly | Hongkong |
| Handy | torpedo boat destroyer | 275 | 6 | 4000 | Lt.-Col. Shakespeare | Singapore |
| Hart | torpedo boat destroyer | 275 | 6 | 9000 | Lt.-Col. G. A. Callaghan | Hongkong |
| Hermione | torpedo boat | 4360 | 10 | 14,000 | Capt. H. J. Davison | Waiháiwei |
| Humber | armoured cruiser, 1st class | 5600 | 12 | 8500 | Capt. Sir Edward Chichester | Hongkong |
| Immortalité | armoured cruiser, 2nd class | 3600 | 8 | 9000 | Capt. H. N. Dudding | Nanking |
| Iphigenia | gun-vessel, 2nd class | 758 | 2 | 870 | Capt. Wm. W. Smythe | Hongkong |
| Linnet | armoured cruiser, 1st class | 5600 | 12 | 8200 | Comdr. G. F. King-Hall | Chenulpo |
| Narcissus | gun-vessel, 1st class | 755 | 6 | 1400 | Lieut.-Com. P. S. John | Shanghai |
| Poseidon | sloop | 1050 | 6 | 1200 | Lieut.-Com. N. P. Cochrane | Hongkong |
| Phoenix | gunboat, 1st class | 755 | 6 | 1200 | Lieut.-Com. C. J. T. Dorner | Weihaiwei |
| Pugny | gunboat, 1st class | 755 | 6 | 1200 | Capt. G. V. de M. Cowper | Hongkong |
| Player | gunboat, 1st class | 14,200 | 14 | 25,000 | Capt. Hon. H. Lambton | Hongkong |
| Powerful | gunboat, 1st class | 715 | 6 | 1200 | Lt.-Com. Hon. G. A. Harding | Hongkong |
| Rattler | gunboat, 1st class | 803 | 6 | 1200 | Lieut.-Com. E. H. Grafton | Hongkong |
| Redpole | gun-vessel, 2nd class | 706 | 2 | 870 | Commodore S. C. Holland | Hongkong |
| Swift | recruising ship | 4000 | 2 | 200 | Capt. A. C. Clarke | Hongkong |
| Adam | g.b. 3rd class coast defence | 983 | 2 | 5000 | Capt. A. Schomberg | Hongkong |
| Undanmed | armoured cruiser, 1st class | 5600 | 12 | 12,000 | Lieut.-Comdr. W. P. Dawson | Hongkong |
| Victorious | battleship, 1st class | 14,000 | 16 | 450 | Lieut. Comdr. I. P. Barton | Hongkong |
| Watervoght | Surveying ship | 620 | 6 | 1000 | Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir E. H. Seymour, K.C.B. | Hongkong |
| Whiting | torpedo boat destroyer | 360 | 6 | 1000 | Flagship of Rear-Admiral O. S. P. Fitzgerald | Hongkong |

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir E. H. Seymour, K.C.B.

+ Flagship of Rear-Admiral O. S. P. Fitzgerald.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

| Name | Flag and Description | Tons. | Guns. | H.P. | Captain | Last reported at |
|--------------------|--------------------------|-------|-------|--------|----------------------------|------------------|
| Frundsberg | Austrian corvette | 1400 | 9 | 800 | Capt. L. von Zeigler | Shanghai |
| Aspin | French gunboat | 475 | 3 | 450 | Commander Joumet | Saigon |
| Bayard | French ship | 6500 | 12 | 4500 | Captain Joannet | Yokohama |
| Caravan | French gunboat | 658 | 4 | 850 | Lieut. Schweier | Saigon |
| Deserteur | French cruiser | 4000 | 14 | 8500 | Capt. Philibert | Nankiang |
| Duguay-Trouin | French cruiser | 3593 | 11 | 4339 | Capt. Texier | Kwongchauwan |
| Eduard | French cruiser | 1658 | 8 | 2050 | Captain Thesmar | Taku |
| Jean Bart | French cruiser | — | — | — | Capt. Amédée | Kwongchauwan |
| León | French cruiser | 3988 | 14 | 8500 | Captain du Brézil | Kwongchauwan |
| Pascal | French gunboat | 822 | 2 | 900 | Captain de Plessix | Kwongchauwan |
| Surprise | French flagship | — | — | — | Captain Boutet | Kwongchauwan |
| Vaudou | German cruiser | 1640 | 8 | 2930 | Captain Becker | Kiachau |
| Arcone | German cruiser | 1640 | 8 | 2930 | Captain Brüssel | Shanghai |
| Coronan | German ironclad | 8000 | 20 | 5000 | Captain Müller | Hongkong |
| Deutschland | German 2nd class cruiser | 4109 | 10 | 9000 | Captain Pollenius | Mauli |
| Gefion | German cruiser | 4200 | 8 | 8820 | Captain du Bois | Hongkong |
| Irene | German cruiser | 7677 | 9 | 5700 | Captain Stabenbach | Hongkong |
| Kaiser | German battleship | 6331 | 20 | 14,000 | Captain Koellner | Hongkong |
| Kaisers Augustus | German battleship | 4400 | 12 | 8000 | Capt. Merten | Nagasaki |
| Moore | German cruiser | 4400 | 12 | 8000 | Captain Trappel | Woosung |
| Prinzess Wilhelm | German cruiser | 1487 | — | — | Captain Incoronato | Macao |
| Marc Polo | Italian cruiser | 400 | 3 | 400 | Cond. Carvalho e Athayde | Port Arthur |
| Liberal | Portuguese gunboat | — | — | — | Comdr. A. H. Smith-Davrian | Wladivostock |
| Admiral Kornioloff | Russian cruiser | 5500 | 16 | 9000 | Captain Molas | Tokio |
| Albion | Russian sloop | 810 | 2 | 730 | Captain Parengue | Kochi |
| Dimitri Donskoi | Russian sloop | 950 | 2 | 1150 | Captain Boissemant | Nagasaki |
| Gademak | Russian sloop | 6000 | 16 | 7000 | Capt. Wittefeld | Guadzhi |
| Gremiashky | Russian gunboat | 500 | 2 | 3500 | Capt. Vysennikoff | |

THE CHINA MAIL.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1898.

Shipping.

Steamers.

INDOCHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.
The Co.'s Steamship "Suzon," Capt. G. PAYNE, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 24th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, December 20, 1898. 2398

"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS, FOR NEW YORK VIA SUZ CANAL, The Steamship "Glenmary," Captain FRANCKE, will be despatched as above on or about the 25th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., Agents. Hongkong, December 17, 1898. 2109

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL, The Co.'s Steamship "Hector," Captain H. B. BROWN, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 25th instant. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, December 10, 1898. 2418

Intimations.

Mitsui Bussan Kaisha,
No. 6, Ice House Street, Praya Central,
HEAD OFFICE—TOKYO.
BRANCH OFFICE—LONDON, NEW YORK,
BOMBAY, SINGAPORE, SHANGHAI, TIENTIN,
NEWWOWANG MUD, all Ports in
JAPAN.

AGENCIES:
MIKAWA COAL MINES,
OMORIKA COAL MINES,
KAMADA COAL MINES,
TORIO MARU INSURANCE CO., LTD.,
MIKI FUYU INSURANCE CO., LTD.,
IMPERIAL GOVT. PAPER MILLS, JAPAN,
CHUNG CHEUNG & WEE, CO., SHANGHAI,
CEMENT COMPANY, JAPAN,
KANTOYA COTTON SPINNING MILLS, JAPAN,
MIKAWA COTTON SPINNING MILLS, LTD.,
TOKIO COTTON SPINNING MILLS,
HATAYAMA CLOCK FACTORY.

Hongkong, August 3, 1898. 1978

WANDER HOTEL,
HONGKONG.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT, situated in the elegant Building known as "CONNAUGHT HOUSE," offers First-Class Accommodation to Residents and Travellers.

Passenger Elevator, from Entrance Hall to each Floor, in charge of experienced Attendant.

Facilities Arrangements made for Families and for Monthly or Extended Periods.

BILLIARDS.

P. BOHM,
Proprietor and Manager.

Hongkong, September 27, 1898. 1927

JADESTONES & CURIOS
FOR SALE.

WE the Undersigned beg to notify the public that we have been carrying on Business—EX-outputs of China Goods for upwards of 60 years past enjoying the good opinion of all our numerous customers.

We have now been appointed Agents for KWONG MAN CHONG of Peking, in ANTIQUE CURIOS, PEARLS, JADES, ONE AND CRYSTAL WARE, Etc., Etc.

of the best description, which we offer at most moderate Prices.

Visitors are respectfully invited to call and make inspection at our Premises, No. 90, Queen's Rd Central.

SUN SHING,
Agents for KWONG MAN CHONG.

Hongkong, November 23, 1898. 2233

GREATEST BLESSING OF LIFE,
Prof. H. WINTER,

The Great American Indian Expert.

Warrents to cure Hard and Soft Corns,

Bunions, In-growing Nails and Warts.

Guaranteed to take them out without pain or draw no blood, and further guaranteed to perform a perfect cure.

Mr. Winter's fame is spoken of in highest terms by various well-known Gentlemen who have suffered for years with Corns.

He has arrived at Hongkong and will remain till the 1st January, at THOMAS' GRILL ROOM, Room No. 4, Office hours from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Consultation free or charge.

Those who wish Mr. Winter to visit them will please send their address, and he will call on Mondays and Fridays between 2 and 3 p.m.

Chargers Moderate.

The Professor speaks English, German, French, Spanish and Portuguese.

Hongkong, December 16, 1898. 2398

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For Nervous Exhaustion.

CHAPOTEAUT'S
Phosphoglycerate
OF LIME

The most restorative
of the nervous system.

For bricklayers, professional men, teachers, students, etc. and in debility, senile losses, dyspepsia of nervous origin, etc.

It is readily assimilated and promotes digestion.

PHOSPHOLYCERATE & LIPID
(CHAPOTEAUT)

PHOSPHOLYCERATE WINE
(CHAPOTEAUT)

PHOSPHOLYCERATE CAPSULES
(CHAPOTEAUT)

& FOR VIVIENS, PARIS-FRANCE

For Sales by A. S. WARREN & CO., Chemists.

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Lord Iveagh has made another large gift to the poor of Dublin.

Our letter was received to late for to-night's issue; it will be published to-morrow.

MAJOR Chippindall, of the West Riding Regiment, has been appointed Commandant to the West Australian forces.

The Cavalry Club has decided to return to Mr E. T. Hooley the sum of \$10,000 which Mr Hooley declared he paid to secure his admission to the Club.

On Tuesday a Chinaman employed at the Cosmopolitan Dock, fell off a steamer some ten feet high and sustained internal injuries which caused his death.

The Daily Chronicle states that Great Britain has leased to the United States the island of Socotra, near the Gulf of Aden, for use as a coaling station.

The Admiralty authorities consider that the construction of a graving dock at Hobart in Tasmania would be an unnecessary work so far as Imperial interests are concerned.

The last survivor of Waterloo has again died. Like 'the big gooseberry,' 'the oldest Freeman,' and the sea serpent, 'the last survivor' is a hardy annual, and takes a lot of killing.

We regret to learn that, owing to the indisposition of His Excellency Sir Henry Blake, the distribution of prizes won at the Regatta has been postponed till Saturday afternoon next, at four o'clock.

Plates having broken out on board the Messageries Maritimes steamer Gironde, running between Marseilles and South Africa, the steamer was not allowed to land her passengers at Delagoa Bay, and had to go on to Madagascar.

Agonzillo, one of the insurgent leaders in the Philippines, declared, in the course of an interview in London, that Admiral Dewey recognised the insurgents before Sir Howard Vincent, M.P., are the British delegates to the International Conference to consider the best means of suppressing the anarchists.)

THE GOVERNORSHIP OF CRETE.

Prince George of Greece has started for Crete, escorted by the flagships of the four Powers, Great Britain, Italy, Russia and France.

EVACUATION OF FASHODA.

Major Marchand's party evacuated Fashoda, on the 11th instant, marching to Sobat. Egyptian troops immediately occupied the fort.

LEGAL NEWS.

Sir Henry Hawkins has resigned.

(Special Telegram to the "Echo de Chine.")

THE EMPRESS DOWAGER'S RECEPTION.

PEKING, December 14.

On Tuesday, 13th inst., H. M. the Empress Dowager received the wives of the Foreign Ministers. She evinced towards them great cordiality, offered them a banquet and a theatrical representation, and presents of rings. H. M. the Emperor was present.

FOOCHOW RACES.

(Special Telegram to the "N.C. Daily News.")

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THIRD DAY.

Thursday, 16th December, 1898.

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Desperation 3
Time, 1 min. 35 sec.

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Time, 1 min. 41 sec.

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Toledo 1
Ute 2
Beggarman 3
Time, 1 min. 40 sec.

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Arbitrator 1
Jeddah 2
Speedwell 3
Time, 2 min. 22 sec.

5.—THE CONSOLATION CUP.—Value \$100. For all bond side beaten China Ponies that have run at this Meeting. Weights as per scale. Entrance \$5.—One mile.

New Moon 1
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Time, 2 min. 18 sec.

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Momo 1
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Time, 2 min. 51 sec.

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Beggarman 1
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Millstream 3
Time, 1 min. 45 sec.

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LEGAL NEWS.

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(Special Telegram to the "Echo de Chine.")

THE EMPRESS DOWAGER'S RECEPTION.

PEKING, December 14.

On Tuesday, 13th inst., H. M. the Empress Dowager received the wives of the Foreign Ministers. She evinced towards them great cordiality, offered them a banquet and a theatrical representation, and presents of rings. H. M. the Emperor was present.

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A CONCERT
Will be given in the St. George's Hall,
Z.O.N.G.H.T.
the 2nd December, at 8.30 p.m., by
THE HONGKONG ODD VOLUMES
SOCIETY.

PROGRAMME.

- PART I.
- 1. Song... "O Garden... Hope Temple." Mr. F. PEERY HARROLD.
- 2. Song... "Ugo!... Luigi Garibaldi." Mrs. BUTTERWELL.
- 3. Recitation... "The Possum's Story." Harding COX. Mr. H. E. POLLACK.
- 4. Song... "La Seconde!... F. Paolo Testi." Miss GASPAR.
- 5. Song... "Ritournelle." Charron.
- Mr. G. H. GRACE.

PART II.

- 1. Song... "When the heart is Young..." Dudley Bush. Miss MURRAY BAIN.
- 2. Song... "I'll sing those songs of Araby..." Clay. Mr. E. L. HUNTER.
- 3. Planorata Solo... "Des Abords de la Battaglia." Mr. BATTAGLIA.

- 4. Song... "Fair is my Love!"... Walton. Mr. G. H. GRACE.
- 5. Song... "For the Sake of the Rose!... Tito Merello. Miss GASPAR.

There will be a Special Train a quarter of an hour after the close of the Performance.

HENRY E. POLLACK,
Hon. Secretary,
Hongkong, December 22, 1898. 2452

THEATRE ROYAL,

CITY HALL.

Under the distinguished Patronage of Vice-Admiral Sir EDWARD HORRY, K.C.B., R.N. By kind permission of Captain the Hon. HEDWORTH LAMONT, and Officers of H.M.S. POWERFUL. THE AMATEUR DRAMATIC Co. H.M.S. "Powerful," in the NAUTICAL MUSICAL BURLESQUE, Edited by H.M.S. MISSFIRE or

CHANGE ROUNDS. ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1898. The whole concluding with the realistic tableau:

- (1) READY FOR ACTION.
- (2) BATHING SCENE.
- (3) DEATH OF NELSON.

The Singing Band of H.M.S. POWERFUL. Mr. SCHOFIELD Conducting. Doors Open 8.30 p.m. Commence 9 p.m. Box Plan at the City Hall on Saturday and Monday, 26 and 27. Seats. £1. 10s. 6d. Scars and Soldiers in Uniform, Half Price to Pit only.

The Procession of the Entertainment will be given to Naval Chaplain.

Hongkong December 22, 1898. 2448

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THE HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMA-THE CLUB, will produce a Pantomime entitled, "THE YELLOW DWARF," or "Marquis the Knave of Hearts, and FAIR PRINCESS." On the following dates:—

THURSDAY, 5th January, 1899.
SATURDAY, 7th
MONDAY, 9th
WEDNESDAY, 11th
SATURDAY, 14th

The Ticket Office at the Theatre will be Opened on Thursday, 22nd December, at 10 a.m., and Seats can be Booked from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., every day; Sundays and General Holidays excepted.

E. W. MITCHELL,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, December 7, 1898. 2326

EYE-SIGHT.

MR. N. LAZARUS. Optician-Oculist, of London and Calcutta, may be consulted for S. ECATOLAS at FLETCHER & CO.'S PHARMACY, (Open to the HONGKONG HOTEL). Business Hours: ... 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

A great proportion of cataracts and diseases affecting those advancing in life occur to those having some deficiency in the construction of the eyes—the many years of "Eye Strain" ending in serious forms of disease. Glasses specially adapted in youth to those requiring them save and preserve the sight.

Constantly recurring headaches, spells of dimness when reading, weak eyes, the letters running together, any of these symptoms indicate a deficiency in the form of the eye requiring Glasses only to correct and cure.

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ADVICE FREE.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS. O WING to the large and continued increase of SUBSCRIBERS to the CHINA MAIL.

We are compelled to go to Press earlier. Alterations and additions to Advertisements on Pages 1 and 4, should be sent here not later than 10 a.m. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS should be sent before 4 p.m.

BAIN & REID.

Hongkong, October 1, 1898.

JAPANESE FINE ART CURIOS.

KUHN & KOMOR. 21, & 22, Queen's Road, Hongkong; 35, Water Street, Yokohama; and 33, Division Street, Kobe.

Today's Advertising.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (for account of the Consignee),

TO-MORROW,

(FRIDAY), the 23rd Dec., at 10.30 a.m.,

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QUERKE, HEMPEL, ETC., ETC.

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ONE WARDROBE, DRESSING TABLE AND

SIDEBOARD.

TERMS:—As Usual,

HUGHES & HOUG-

ES, Auctioneers,

Hongkong, December 22, 1898. 2452

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

THE Public are hereby informed that on and after the 25th instant, the RATE OF POSTAGE on LETTERS POSTED in the Colony to the Places mentioned below will be 4 CENTS per oz.

The full Schedule of NEW POSTAGE RATES will be published in the GAZETTE of the 26th instant.

A. M. THOMSON,

Postmaster General,

December 22, 1898. 2452

United Kingdom.

Aden, Ascension, Bahama, Barbadoes,

Bermuda, British Central Africa,

British East Africa, British Guiana,

British Honduras, British India,

Canada, Cape Colony, Ceylon, Cyprus,

Fiji, Federated Malay States, Gibral-

tar, Gold Coast Colony, Johore, Laos,

Natal, Newfoundland, Sarawak, Sze-

mala, Sierra Leone, British Somal-

iland, St. Helena, The Falkland

Islands, (which comprises—Antigua, St.

Christopher and N. W. Domini-

Mon, Montserrat and the Virgin Islands),

The Niger Coast Protectorate, The

Portuguese Territory, The Wind-

ward Islands, (Grenada, St. Lucia, St.

Vincent), Tobago and Trinidad, Turks

Island, and Uganda.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that MONDAY

Next, the 26th instant, and MON-

DAYS, the 27th January, 1899, will be observed as HOLIDAYS at the Kowloon

Customs' OFFICE.

Work at the Opium Examination Office

and Customs' Stations will proceed as usual.

H. M. HILLIER,

Commissioner of Customs,

for Kowloon and District.

CUSTOM HOUSE,

Kowloon, 21st December, 1898. 2449

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

FROM TRIESTE, J. UMEI PORT SAID,

ADEN, BOMBAY, PENANG &

SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Vindobona, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at the risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence delivery may be obtained.

This Vessel brings on Cargo:—

Fruit, Tobacco, &c., amphorite, trans-

shipped at Bremen. From Venetos, ex-

Mr. Curlette and Massimiliano, transhipped at Taranto.

Optimal Cargo will be discharged here unless notice to the contrary is given immediately.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Underwriters before NOON of the 28th December, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 28th December will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SANDEE, WEILER & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, Dec. 22, 1898. 2451

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The Steamship

Rely, will be

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This well-known Steamer has superior

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a Doctor and Stewardess.

For Passage, apply to

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

December 21.

Fukien, Chinese steamer, 1,604, W. H.

1st, Shanghai December 18, General.

O. M. S. N. Co.

Katong, British str., 958, T. W. Cleary,

Tongki Dec. 10, and Chefoo 16, Ground.

BUTTERFIELD & SWINE.

Hiroshima Maru, Japanese str., 2,051,

S. T. Biu, Bombay, and Singapore Dec. 13.

General—NIFOR YUKIN KADHA.

December 22.

Hermes, Norwegian str., from Canton.

Vindobona, Austrian str., 2,689, Carlo

Bellini, Trieste and Singapore December

14, General—SANDEE, WILMER & CO.

Rohilla, British str., 2,218, S. de B.

Lockyer, R. N. R., Yokohama December 15.

Tintzin, British steamer, 1,250, Dawson,

Tsinling and Ohotsk Dec. 12, General.

BUTTERFIELD & SWINE.

Bamberg, German str., 2,660, T. Voss,

Mojo Dec. 17, Ries and General—O. M.

LOWZOW & CO.

Emilia, Japanese steamer, 1,108,

Kawasaki, Moji Dec. 12, Oshio—O.

Chiba, German steamer, 675, J. Br

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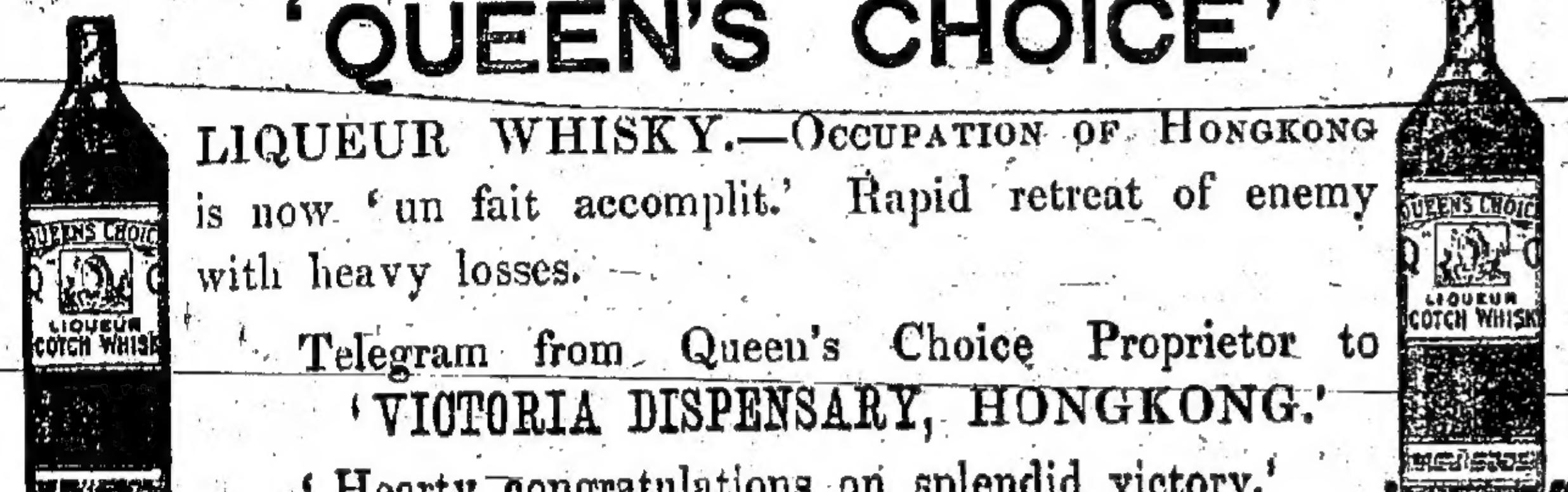
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Business Notices.

WAR! GRIM WAR.

The Spanish American War is child's-play to the War being waged by rival WHISKY HOUSES against the now famous,

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LIQUEUR WHISKY.—OCCUPATION OF HONGKONG
is now 'un fait accompli.' Rapid retreat of enemy
with heavy losses.

Telegram from Queen's Choice Proprietor to
'VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.'

'Hearty congratulations on splendid victory.'

NOTICE.
I HAVE THIS DAY ESTABLISHED MYSELF
AS MERCHANT AND COMMISSION
AGENT.

A. JUSTER.

Canton, December 16, 1898. 2308

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ESTABLISHED MYSELF
AS ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR,
ACCOUNTS KEPT AND ADJUSTED, BALANCES
SHETS DRAWN UP, AND ALL ACCOUNTS WORK
UNDEAKEN.

WM. H. GASKELL.
Letters should be addressed care of
Hongkong Hotel.
Hongkong, November 18, 1898. 2178



VICTORIA PRECEPTORY.

A REGULAR MEETING of the
VICTORIA PRECEPTORY will be held at
FIREMEN'S HALL on FRIDAY,
the 23rd December Inst., at 5 for 6.30 p.m.
precisely. VISITING SIR KNIGHTS are
cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, December 19, 1898. 2419

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL
TRAMWAYS CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FOURTEENTH ORDINARY GENERAL
MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the
above Company will be held at the
Registered Office of the Company, 33 and
40, Queen's Road Central, on FRIDAY,
the 23rd day of December, at NOON, for
the purpose of receiving the Report of the
General Manager, together with a Statement
of Accounts for the year ending 30th
November, 1898.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 12th to
23rd Instant, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, December 9, 1898. 2343

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO.,
LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that under the Special
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and 20th days of June, 1897, the Undersigned
General Managers did on the 30th day of
November, 1898, make a FINAL CALL
of \$1.00 per Share on account of the Price
of the New Shares Issued in Pursuance of
such Resolution and a FINAL CALL of
\$1.00 on account of the Premium for each
such Share, and that such CALLS are
PAYABLE at the OFFICES of the General
Managers, No. 9, PRATA CENTRAL, Victoria,
Hongkong, on the 1st January, 1899.

Upon Payment of such CALLS and Pro-
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respect of which the same are paid, fully
paid up Certificates will be issued in ex-
change for provisional certificates.

Dated the 1st December, 1898.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
General Managers.

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HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM-
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TIME TABLE.
WEEK DAYS.
7.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m....Every quarter of
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11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m....Every half hour.
12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m....Every quarter of
an hour.
3.30 p.m. to 8.00 p.m....Every quarter of
an hour.
Night cars at 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. and from
8.45 p.m. to 11.15 p.m. every half hour.
An additional car will run at 2.40 p.m.
until further notice.

SATURDAYS.

Extra Night cars at 11.30 and 11.45 p.m.

SUNDAYS.

8.45 a.m. to 10.15 a.m....Every half hour.
10.30 a.m. and 10.40 a.m.
Noon to 2 p.m....Every quarter of an hour.
3 p.m. to 8 p.m....Every quarter of an hour.
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SPECIAL CARS by Arrangement at the
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